

Public Notice – Environmental Permit

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To seek public comment on a draft permit from the Department of Environmental Quality to limit air pollution emitted by a facility in Manassas/Prince William County, Virginia.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: October 19, 2011 to November 18, 2011

PERMIT NAME: Federal Operating Permit issued by DEQ, under the authority of the Air Pollution Control Board

APPLICANT NAME AND ADDRESS: City of Manassas/Virginia Municipal Electric Association; 9898 Goodwin Drive, Manassas, Virginia 20110

FACILITY NAME, ADDRESS AND REGISTRATION NUMBER: City of Manassas/VMEA Plant; 9898 Goodwin Drive, Manassas, Virginia 20110; 71977

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: City of Manassas/Virginia Municipal Electric Association has applied for renewal of the permit for City of Manassas/VMEA Plant. The facility is located at 9898 Goodwin Drive in Manassas, Virginia. The facility is classified as a major source of air pollution. The permit will allow the source to continue operating diesel driven engine generator sets.

HOW TO COMMENT AND/OR REQUEST A PUBLIC HEARING: DEQ accepts comments and requests for public hearing by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments and requests must be in writing and be received by DEQ during the comment period. Submittals must include the names, mailing addresses and telephone numbers of the commenter/requester and of all persons represented by the commenter/requester. A request for public hearing must also include: 1) The reason why a public hearing is requested. 2) A brief, informal statement regarding the nature and extent of the interest of the requester or of those represented by the requester, including how and to what extent such interest would be directly and adversely affected by the permit. 3) Specific references, where possible, to terms and conditions of the permit with suggested revisions. A public hearing may be held, including another comment period, if public response is significant, based on individual requests for a public hearing, and there are substantial, disputed issues relevant to the permit.

Contact for public comments, document requests and additional information: Elizabeth Aiken; DEQ Northern Regional Office, 13901 Crown Court, Woodbridge, VA 22193; Phone: 703-583-3890; E-mail: Elizabeth.Aiken@deq.virginia.gov Fax: 703-583-3821. The public may review the draft permit and application at the DEQ office named above or may request copies of the documents from the contact person listed above.